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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re:

Hearing Application

Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, SU66 Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, SU78

BETHANY-LONG STREET FIELD

Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana

Applicant: Goodrich Petroleum Company, L.L.C.

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **Goodrich Petroleum Company**, **L.L.C.** for the calling of a public hearing, after ten days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters regarding the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, SU 66 and SU 78, Bethany-Longstreet Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana.

Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, SU 66

- To permit applicant, Goodrich Petroleum Company, L.L.C. to drill, designate and utilize the Goodrich Petroleum Company, L.L.C.-Graham No. 2 Well as an alternate unit well for the CV RA SU 66, such well to be at the location shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof;
- 2. The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, Bethany-Longstreet Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289-J, effective March 1, 1974, as amended and supplemented by 289-J Series of Office of Conservation Orders.

Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, SU 78

- To permit applicant, Goodrich Petroleum Company, L.L.C. to drill, designate and utilize the Goodrich Petroleum Company, L.L.C.-Johnson No. 2 Well as an alternate unit well for the CV RA SU 78, such well to be at the location shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof;
- The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, SU 78, Bethany-Longstreet Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289-J-63, effective May 2, 2006.

For the Above

1. To grant a single unit allowable for the CV RA SU 66 and CV RA SU 78 and to permit the operator of the units to produce said unit allowables from the unit wells, the proposed alternate unit wells, or from a combination of the wells, at its option;

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> To make a specific finding that such proposed alternate unit wells are necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the CV RA SU 66 and CV RA SU 78 which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well within each unit.

- To confirm Goodrich Petroleum Company, L.L.C. as operator of the CV RA SU 66 and CR RA SU 78;
- 4. To find that, except to the extent contrary to the order granted by the Commissioner of Conservation in connection with the hearing held on this application, the provisions of Office of Conservation No. 289-J Series of Orders shall remain in full force and effect;
- 5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the sand and reservoir by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of each reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation, and
- 6. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoirs as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the CV RA SU 66 and CV RA SU 78, Bethany-Longstreet Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this application. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. David Comeaux of Leon Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, LA 70505 (337) 233-9839.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$1,510.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, which represents the required hearing application fee.

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Attachments

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

